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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of

PCT/FR00/00489

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Appln. No.:

Group Art Unit:

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Examiner:

For: POWER CABLE COMPRISING AT LEAST A NANOCOMPOSITE COMPONENT
COATING LAYER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, after the title, insert the heading --Background of the Invention--^{A1}

after line 33, insert the heading --Summary of the Invention--^{A2}

Page 5, after line 19, insert the heading --Brief Description of the Drawings--^{A3}

after line 32, insert the heading --Detailed Description of the Invention--^{A4}

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 5, line 1, delete "any preceding claim", and insert --claim 1--.

Claim 8, line 1, delete "any preceding claim" and insert --claim 1--.

Claim 9, line 1, delete "any preceding claim" and insert --claim 1--.

Claim 10, line 2, delete "any of claims 1 to 7" and insert --claim 1--.

Claim 11, line 2, delete "any preceding claim" and insert --claim 1".